

PHILATELY

Central Africa

* Two postage stamps have been issued by the Central African Post recalling the Grenoble Games and those of Mexico. The drawings and engravings are the work of the master - Albert DECARIES.

They are:

200 francs AFC : Brown, blue and purple, Grenoble 1968.
(Ski downhill)

200 francs AFC : Brown, blue and purple, Mexico 1968.
(A Javelin thrower)

Germany

* On the occasion of the Mexico Games five stamps, four with surcharge, are being issued by the Deutsche Bundespost. The surcharged stamps comprise the Olympic rings and feature the names in German sport.

They are:

50 pf x 25. Blue. Carl DIEM.

30 pf x 15. Rose. Helena MAYER.

20 pf x 10. Bright Green. Rudolf HARBIG

10 pf x 5. Grey Green. Fruhert von LANGEN.

A mauve stamp for 30 pfennings, has been dedicated to Pierre de COUBERTIN.

Spain

* The Spanish Post Administration will produce a series of four stamps in celebration of the Mexico Games. These will be dedicated to the sports in which Spanish athletes have especially shone on different occasions. These will be shown in Mexico during a philatelic Exhibition which is under the patronage of the International Philatelic Federation, taking place at the conclusion of the Games.

Amongst the four chosen subjects will be a stamp for 6 pesetas showing Yachting.

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